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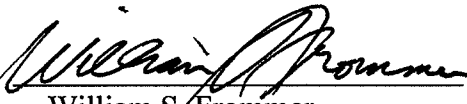
Sir:

On reviewing the (PAIR) file of the Patent and Trademark Office, Applicants' representative observes there is no record of the Amended Brief filed November 26, 2007 in response to the Notice of Noncompliance issued October 25, 2007. As evidence of the timely filing of Applicants' Amended Brief, enclosed herewith is a copy of that Amended Brief as well as a copy of the Acknowledgment Receipt dated November 26, 2007, acknowledging receipt of the electronically filed Amended Brief.

Applicants request the issuance of either the Examiner's Answer or the withdrawal of the Final Rejection from which this appeal has been taken.

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